

## **State Advisory Panel on Special Education**

### **Meeting**

**March 18, 2010**

**5:30-7:30pm**

**The Charles Sumner School – 1201 17<sup>th</sup> Street, NW**

**Washington, DC 200036**

- I. Introductions & Welcome – Chair: Molly Whalen**
- II. Announcements from SAP members for upcoming events, activities, and actions pertinent to SAP interests**
- III. Review/Approval of December 2009 & January 2010 SAP meeting minutes**
- IV. Review & Discussion of the SAP Annual Retreat Report and Workgroups for 09-10**
  - a. Workgroup reports (action items, timeline, team assignments)
    - 1. Monitoring Workgroup – Lead: Julie Camerata
    - 2. Transition & Placement Workgroup – Leads: Julia Howell-Barros & Shawn Ullman
    - 3. Parent & Community Engagement Workgroup – Lead: Karen Wills-Henry
    - 4. Multi-System Populations Workgroup – Lead: Laurie Ellington
- V. Guest Speaker: William Knudsen, Deputy Assistant Superintendent, Monitoring and Compliance Topic: APR & Indicators**
- VI. Report from Tameria Lewis, Assistant State Superintendent of Special Education**
  - a. Update on OSEP determination on OSSE – report on finalized plan
  - b. Update on OSSE’s determination on LEAs – appeal status
  - c. Secondary Transition Monitoring
  - d. LEA Monitoring Training
  - e. Review of FFY 2010 Part B Draft State Grant Application
  - f. Update on OSSE position vacancies
  - g. OSEP Verification Visit report status
  - h. Update on OSSE office move
  - i. Other updates
- VII. Legislative Update: Current activity on DC Council regarding special education services**
  - a. Developmental Disabilities Reform Act of 2009 Public hearing – rescheduled date TBA
  - b. Health Insurance Coverage for Children with Autism Act of 2009 – Public hearing March 24, 2010
  - c. Information Sharing to Improve Services for Children & Families Act of 2009 – B18-344 – rescheduled date TBA
- VIII. New Business/Future meeting items**
  - a. OSSE’s Quarterly LEA Meetings – explore possibility of SAP representative to speak at March meeting
  - b. SAP tour of the new Early Stages facility at 1125 New Jersey Avenue, NW – schedule time

## State Advisory Panel on Special Education 2009 – 2010 Meeting Schedule

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**Meeting Time:** 5:30 – 7:30 PM

**Location:** 441 4<sup>th</sup> Street, NW Washington, DC 20001, Conference Room 1114 – 11<sup>th</sup> Floor,  
(unless otherwise posted)

Thursday, April 15, 2010

Thursday, May 20, 2010

Thursday, June 17, 2010